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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON:—F. ALAN, 11 & 12, Old Broad Street, E.C. 4. General Agents for the China Mail, and all other lines of Steamships, and all other business connected therewith. Also, Agents for the China Mail, and all other lines of Steamships, and all other business connected therewith. Also, Agents for the China Mail, and all other lines of Steamships, and all other business connected therewith.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$3,000,000.
RESERVE FUND, \$2,500,000.
Total, \$5,500,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman, W. R. BARNES, Esq.
Deputy Chairman, W. B. YOUNG, Esq.
Messrs. L. D. BARNES, Esq., A. P. MORRIS, Esq., W. H. FORBES, Esq., F. D. SASSOON, Esq., A. G. LUTZOW, Esq., M. E. SASSOON, Esq., Hon. F. B. JOHNSON.

CHIEF MANAGER.
Messrs. THOMAS JACKSON, Esq., SHANGHAI, and E. W. CAMERON, Esq., LONDON.

HONGKONG.
INTEREST ALLOWED.
On Current Deposit, Account at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
For 6 months, 4 per cent. per annum.
For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Orders granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

DRY GOODS GRANTED ON LONDON, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East,
Hongkong, August 25, 1883.

INTIMATIONS.
AVIS.
UNE adjudication Publique, sur soumissions cachetées, aura lieu le 14 Novembre prochain, à 2 heures de l'après-midi, pour la fourniture totale, (en 4 livraisons de 1,500 tonnes chacune, au lot, au 10 de chaque mois, à partir du 1er Décembre, 1883), de 6,000 TONNES de CHARBON de Newcastle, d'Australie, livrables à Hongkong, pour le compte du service administratif du Tonkin. Le cahier des clauses et conditions du contrat est déposé à la disposition du public à la Chancellerie du Consulat de France à Hongkong.

Le Commissaire de la Division de Chine et du Japon,
G. DE MONTJAMONT.
Hongkong, 8 Novembre, 1883.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
QUARANTINE AT EGYPTIAN AND CONTINENTAL PORTS.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made for passing the Company's Steamships through the Suez Canal in quarantine, thus avoiding any detention in Egypt. The Homeward Mails are now being landed at Victoria, but the quarantine which is still imposed at this and all other Continental Ports prevents the landing of Passengers and those travelling by the Company's Steamships are advised to remain on board the vessel which calls at Marseilles en route—stopping a few hours only to discharge cargo—and proceed in her direct to London, thus avoiding all quarantine delays and inconveniences.

The Passengers of the Steamships will be accommodated, and they will not call at Malta or Gibraltar.

E. L. WOODIN, Acting Superintendent.
Hongkong, September 6, 1883.

HOP SHING & Co.,
ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS,
COPPER SMITHS, BRASS & IRON
FOUNDERS.
NESS IRON WORKS.

HAVING This Day commenced Business, are ready to undertake work of the above Descriptions under the Supervision of an Experienced European.

Orders executed with the utmost despatch and at moderate terms.

24th September, 1883.

It frequently occurs that from damp or otherwise, Goods are spoiled from the fact of being in a humid, unwholesome, and unhealthy state, and for their use.

This, the Lady Superiors of the Italian, Content now comes forward and begs the Ladies and Gentlemen to let her have for her numerous Chinese pupils, for whom the sole beverage of luxury is Tea.

Hongkong, September 10, 1883.

Intimations.

CITY HALL.
NOTICE.

THE Annual General Meeting of SHAREHOLDERS in and SUBSCRIBERS to the above Institution will be held in the Library, at 3 p.m. on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 14th day of November instant.

H. L. DENNY, Secretary.
Hongkong, November 12, 1883.

HONGKONG CLUB.
NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

IT having been found impracticable to make a correct Catalogue of the Club Library without closing in the BOOKS and CLOSING THE ROOM for about ONE WEEK, MEMBERS are particularly requested to RETURN ALL BOOKS in Circulation, on or before the 15th November instant. No Works will be issued after the 12th November.

Any stray Works belonging to the Club, if returned, will be thankfully received, and Books taken out and not returned will be charged to the Members in whose Names they are entered.

By Order of the General Committee,
A. O. D. GOURDIN, Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, November 6, 1883.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has This Day resumed his duties as SECRETARY of the Company.

By Order,
W. H. RAY, Secretary.
Hongkong, November 12, 1883.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO DAILY BOARDERS.

UNTIL further Notice the CHARGES now prevailing will be CONTINUED after the 1st Proximo.

By Order of the Directors,
LOUIS HAUSCHILD, Secretary.
Hongkong, November 8, 1883.

A Good BOOKKEEPER, who has a few spare hours in the early morning, would be glad to take charge of a Set of Accounts. Terms very moderate.

Address "M. M. R." c/o China Mail Office.
Hongkong, August 24, 1883.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A Second and Final Bonus of Five per cent. on Contributions, and a DIVIDEND of EIGHTEEN DOLLARS and TWENTY-NINE CENTS per Share for the year 1882, will be Payable on MONDAY, the 22nd Instant.

Whereas, may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after that date.

By Order of the Board,
DOUGLAS JONES, Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, October 22, 1883.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
THE THIRD CALL of £10 Sterling per Share on the 20,000 SHARES, NEW ISSUE of this Corporation, will fall due on 30th September, 1883, in London, Calcutta, Bombay, Shanghai and Hongkong.

Registered Shareholders entitled to NEW SHARES, are requested to Pay, at the respective Offices, the above Call or its equivalent in the Currency of the above mentioned places.

Provisional Certificates are being issued in Exchange for the 1st Call Receipts, which are to be surrendered to the Bank. Holders of Provisional Certificates, when paying this Call, will please send same to this Office to be endorsed.

The Rate of Exchange for Hongkong is fixed at 87 1/4, or \$54.70 per Share. Interest at the Rate of 7 1/2 per Annum will be charged on Calls unpaid on the 30th September.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, September 12, 1883.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st OCTOBER, the PRICE of ICE will be REDUCED to 14 Cents per pound.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, September 15, 1883.

MRS. P. SMITH, PRIVATE Tiffin Rooms,
At No. 8 & 9, Beaconsfield Arcade.

MEALS & REFRESHMENTS AT ALL HOURS.
Tiffin Rooms, BILLIARD ROOM, AND READING ROOM.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR BOARD and LODGING can be made by applying to Mrs. P. SMITH, On the Premises, Beaconsfield Arcade.
Hongkong, October 18, 1883.

For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
HAVE RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING

NEW GOODS:
FIRE-RESISTING NEW FIRE-GUARDS and COAL VASES, KEROSENE COOKING STOVES.

Hink's "DUPLEX" TABLE LAMPS in New Designs, New FOLDING LAMP SHADES, LINEN "DAGMAR" SHADES.

"SARATOGA" TRUNKS and LADIES' DRESS TRUNKS, TRAVELLING BAGS and HOLD-ALLS, DESPATCH BOXES and PORTFOLIOS.

New "SLIDER" PLAYING CARDS, "MOSUL" and "SQUEEZERS," OALL BELLS, SOAP BOOKS, NEW OFFICE SUPPLIES.

CHRISTMAS CARDS in New Price Designs, MENU and NAME CARDS, PORCELAIN MENU TABLETS.

Agents' MATERIALS and NEW CAVASES, AIR BEDS and CUSHIONS, NEW OUTFITTERY.

Carey's Felt Hats in New Shapes and Colours, Ellwood's Felt Hats on Cork, CRICKETING CAPS and "TAM-O-SHANTER" CAPS.

TENNIS SETS, TENNIS BATS, TENNIS BALLS, CRICKET BATS, BALL and STUMPS, GUNS and SPORTSMAN'S SUNGLASSES.

Cope's TOBACCOES, Fresh GROUND CLOUT, Fresh BIRDSEYE and MIXTURE, MANILA and PENANG CIGARS.

New SADDLERY, WHIPS and FLY SWITCHES, CURRY-COMBS and BRUSHES, SADDLES and SADDLE-CLOTHS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, October 24, 1883.

SAYLE & Co.'s SHOW-ROOMS.
NOW SHOWING EX. S.S. "GLENFRUIN"

FIRST delivery of CHRISTMAS TOYS, WRITING CASES, WORK BOXES, PLUSH FRAMES, JEWEL CASES, &c., &c.

LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S KID GLOVES in all Colours and Sizes, Fur-lined KID GLOVES, DRIVING GLOVES, CLOTH GLOVES, and MITTS.

LADIES' and CHILDREN'S HOSIERY suitable for the PRESENT SEASON. FURS and FUR TRIMMINGS in great variety.

TO ARRIVE PER "GLENLEAGUE" SPECIALITIES IN CHRISTMAS CARDS.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE.
Hongkong, November 2, 1883.

Intimations.
A GENTLEMAN who has had long and varied experience in COMMERCIAL BUSINESS and is quite competent to take charge of BOOKS, CASES, CORRESPONDENCE or the GENERAL MANAGEMENT of an Office—is open to a re-engagement in China, at the end of the year—Unexceptionable References.—Address "DELTA," Post Office, Amoy.

October 23, 1883.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS of the CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.
Hongkong, October 30, 1883.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
ADJOURNMENT OF BUSINESS FOR THE YEAR 1882.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to send in to this Office a List of their Contributions of Premium for the year ending 31st December last, in Order that the PROPORTION OF PROFIT for that year to be Paid as BONUS to CONTRIBUTORS may be arranged. Returns not sent in before the 30th November next, will be made up by the Company, and no subsequent Claims or Alterations will be allowed.

By Order of the Board,
JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary.
Hongkong, September 1, 1883.

WILLIAM DOLAN, SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER,
22, PRAYA CENTRAL.

COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANYAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS, CORK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

For Sale.
FOR SALE.
GOOD BORDEAUX CLARET, in cases of 12 doz. Quarts at...\$8.50.

WOLFE SCHIEDAM SOHNAPPS in cases of 12 Bottles at...\$6.00.

Auctions.

FURNITURE SALE.
THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY, the 14th Instant, 1883, at 2 o'clock p.m., at No. 4, Seymour Terrace, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising:—

Astrols for Drawing Room, Dining Room, Bed Room and Dressing Room, CANTON MATTING, CARPETING, RUGS, BAMBOO BASKETS.

SETS of FENDERS and FIRE IRONS and GLASS; SUNDRIES.

A few PLANTS and FRANS.

The Things can be seen on the Morning of the Sale.

TERMS.—As usual.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, November 7, 1883.

PUBLIC AUCTION
OF
ENGLISH AND CANTON-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY, the 16th November, at 2 p.m., at No. 5, West Terrace, the Residence of Captain ORS.

THE WHOLE of HIS ENGLISH & CANTON-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising:—

CRISTONNE-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, ENGLISH-MADE CENTER TABLE, VAZONCH, ONE PAIR OF FENDERS and IRONS, CHAIRS, &c.

GRAND PIANO, by CHICKERING. ENGLISH-MADE OAK SIDEBOARD, EXTENSION DINING TABLE, CHAIRS, DINING WAGON, PLATED GLASS and CHOCOLATE WARE, &c., &c.

IRON, BEDSTEAD, MATTRESS, &c., CHAIR of DRAWING, WARDROBE, MARBLE TOP WASHING STAND, DRESSING TABLE, RUGS, LACE CURTAINS, DAVENPORT, PICTURES, &c.

BATH TUB with SHOWER APPARATUS, &c., FLOWERS in Pots, &c.

Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale.

The above will be on view on Thursday, the 15th November, 1883.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.
G. R. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.
Hongkong, November 9, 1883.

To Let.
TO LET.
THE PREMISES now occupied by us, No. 11, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

For further Particulars apply to Messrs. ROSS & Co.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, August 1, 1883.

TO LET.
"FAIRVIEW," BOSHAM ROAD, OFFICES and COMPRADOR'S QUARTERS in MARINE HOUSE.

No. 19, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, now occupied by Messrs. FRANKIE HORNUM & Co. Possession, 16th January, 1884.

Apply to
E. R. BELLIOS.
Hongkong, November 7, 1883.

TO LET.
"BISNEY VILLA" PORTUGUESE, Furnished.

No. 4, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, November 7, 1883.

GODOWN 2 TO LET.
PRAYA EAST and WANCHAI ROAD.

For Particulars, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, April 26, 1883.

TO LET.
SPACIOUS GODOWN at Bowaterrow, suitable for the Storage of Coal.

Apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, March 8, 1883.

Shipping.

Steamers.
INDO-CHINA STEAM-NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALOUTTA.

The Company's Chartered Steamship "Araon," Captain DUNN, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 14th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, November 7, 1883.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALOUTTA.

The Steamship "Araon," Captain A. H. MACINTYRE, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 14th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, November 8, 1883.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW AND AMOY.

The Steamship "Compta," Captain REUDER, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 14th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, November 12, 1883.

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK.

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Company's Steamship "Ticonderoga," Captain J. J. JONSON, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 15th Inst., at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
YUEN FAT HONG, Agents.
Hongkong, November 12, 1883.

INDO-CHINA STEAM-NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSE.)

The Co.'s Steamship "Ticonderoga," Captain J. J. JONSON, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 15th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, November 12, 1883.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Araon," Captain RILEY, will be despatched on or about the 17th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, November 1, 1883.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.

The Steamship "Randolph," Captain RICHARD, Commander, expected here on or about the 18th Instant, will have immediate despatch for the above Ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, November 12, 1883.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND.)

Shipping.

Steamers.
OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "The Colossus," Captain EDWARDS, will be despatched on or about the 24th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, November 12, 1883.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship "Polyphonia," Captain EDWARDS, will be despatched on or about the 25th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, November 10, 1883.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship "The Colossus," Captain EDWARDS, will be despatched on or about the 26th Instant.

This Steamer has superior Cabin Accommodation, and carries a Doctor, and Stewards.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, November 12, 1883.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Ticonderoga," Captain J. J. JONSON, will be despatched on or about the 26th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, November 12, 1883.

THE AUSTRALASIAN, CHINA, JAPAN AND STRAITS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIAN PORTS, NEW CALEDONIA and FIJI.)

The Steamship "The Colossus," Captain EDWARDS, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 4th December, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, November 9, 1883.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK.

The 3/3 L.L. German Ship "Otto," Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, November 1, 1883.

FOR LONDON.

The 4.1 British Barque "William Mowson," Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, November 8, 1883.

FOR NEW YORK.

The 3/3 L.L. German Ship "Otto," Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, October 25, 1883.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.
NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

